

**Remarks**

Applicants hereby affirm the elections with traverse of the invention of Group I and Species 6: formula (VI) for further prosecution.

The Office communication also required election of a single disclosed species specifically defining each substituent/variable. Applicants hereby elect compound **2** on page 7 of the application as originally filed.

The Office is invited to contact the undersigned attorney to discuss any remaining issues.

Respectfully submitted,



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